

PUBLIC DAILY LEDGER

SIXTH YEAR.

MAYSVILLE, KY., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1897.

ONE CENT.

Spokane CIRCULATION
LARGEST IN THE CITY.

Purely Business!

The columns of a newspaper represent a cash value. No publisher can afford to give away a merchant's name for nothing. A newspaper is a valuable business concern. Its columns are its stock in trade, and advertisements should be paid for, no matter in what part of the paper they appear.

Honest Merchandise Will Always Win.

Among our many faithful patrons the most faithful are those who, at some time or other, fall into the snare of dropping into one of the clothing houses that advertise to sell \$15 Suits for \$6.98. It is a noted fact with the clothing trade, and we are proud to say it, that we are credited, and justly so, for carrying a stock of

Clothing, Gents' Furnishings and Men's Shoes

that is not equalled in the state. To wear a Hechinger Suit is a sure index that you are properly clad, and when you wear a pair of Smith & Stoughton Shoes you not only display elegance in your foot wear, but you also enjoy the comfort that only high-class shoes afford. Withal, our prices are so moderate, considering qualities, that you owe it to yourself to investigate us when you want to buy.

Our Stock of Suits and Overcoats

is represented only by the best of manufacturers in the country, and that it pays us and you to deal in honest merchandise is evidenced by the fact that

We do the Clothing Business of Maysville.

It goes without saying that our line of MEN'S FINE SHOES is the line. A glance into our Shoe Window is all that is needed to convince you we are right.

HECHINGER & CO
LEADERS IN FINE CLOTHING AND SHOES.

BEE HIVE!

WE WANT YOU!

To Read This Advertisement. It Will Be to Your Interest to Do So. on our Bargain Table this week; sizes 4 and 6 years only. These sold from \$4 to \$6 each. They are our very finest goods. See them soon before best are picked over. Remember, sizes are for 4 and 6-year children only. Politely the opportunity of a life-time to get a good warm Jacket at one-half cost price. Be quick, overstocked on these sizes we offer.

While we are talking CLOAKS we call the attention of discriminating dressers to a special 95 per cent. discount (this week only) on all Jackets of \$10 and over. These are garments made by best designers and most reliable manufacturers. All leading colors—black, ox-blood, cad blue, &c.—finely trimmed and all silk lined. None of the largest city stores show a better line. At the height of the season we now make you this grand liberal offer—25 per cent. discount on these up-to-date Jackets. Our loss will be your gain.

ROSENAU BROS.,

KINGS OF LOW PRICES.
P. S.—Always on the lookout for our patrons' interests, we will GIVE AWAY FREE next week a handsome souvenir. Watch this space for particulars.

MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

WINDS—EAST—FAIR.
Blue—BATH OF SHOW!
With Black ABOVE—TWIL WARMER
SHOW.
IF SHOWS—BATH—COLDEN—will
be! Unless Black's shows—no change
we'll see

The above forecasts are made for a period of twenty-four hours, ending at 10 o'clock tomorrow evening.

HERE AND THERE

If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. Charles B. Poynter is visiting in Cincinnati.

Mr. W. C. Sadler is visiting relatives at Covington.

Mr. Bettie C. Spurr of Lexington is visiting Mrs. J. D. Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Newell left this morning for a visit to relatives at Cincinnati.

Mr. Clarence Gorman of The Flemingsburg Gazette was a recent caller on The Ledger.

Mrs. W. K. Mullins has returned to her home at South Charleston, O., after a visit to relatives in this city.

All matter for publication must be handed in before 9 o'clock in the morning of each day.

If you have an item of news, please call up The Ledger, Telephone 13, and send it in.

Use Sweet Blossom Corn.

Gold Pens at McCarthy's.

Tobacco Insurance—John C. Everett.

Mr. Harry Wood is improving slowly.

Use Ray's Elixire for chapped hands and rough skin. At Postoffice Drugstore.

Strictly pure pepper, sage, coriander seed, etc., for sausage at Chenoweth's Drugstore.

Hon. Walter Matthews is quite ill at his home near Mayfield. Dr. Connor of Cincinnati has been called to see him.

Wanted—50,000 bushels of wheat. The highest market price paid.

T. J. WINTER & Co.

The supper and bazaar given by the ladies of the Episcopal Church closed last night. It was a handsome success, socially and financially.

Tim Ryan, aged 22, died yesterday at 5 a. m. of diphtheria at his home on the Sandie pike. Another member of the family is quite ill.

Stanley Pyles, aged 9 years, 11 months and 1 day, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pyles of the Mayfield neighborhood, died yesterday of laryngeal diphtheria. The funeral will take place from Shannon Church at 11 o'clock Friday morning, with services by the Rev. Spates. Another son is ill with diphtheria, but is improving.

Wanted.

5,000 Fat Turkeys.

R. B. LOVELL.

Andy Downs is quite ill of quinsy.

Buy Headlight Oil from C. Wetzel.

Mr. John Wheeler was not so well yesterday.

Clarence Lair and Miss Mary M. Cook, married in Greenup.

Miss Anne Murphy is suffering from a severe attack of erysipelas.

See advertisement of Mr. W. D. Spaulding, offering residence for sale.

A little daughter of Mrs. Maud Wylie died at Ripley Tuesday, aged 10.

A child of Mr. William Nicholson is quite ill at his home in the Fifth Ward.

Teeth extracted without pain. Dr. J. W. Cartmell, over Harry Taylor's, Phone 60.

Harry Stewart, sixteen-year-old son of Mrs. Robert Stewart, died near Greenup.

Anchor Patent Flour for \$5 a barrel. M. C. Russell & Son.

Don't fail to place your "ad" in The Ledger if you want the most for your money.

The personal estate of the late Miss Nettie Moran amounts to \$302, of which \$234 is cash in bank.

Mrs. Susan Stange died a few days ago at Clarkburg, the former capital of Lewis county, aged 68.

The sum of \$64.47 was realized from the sale of personally belonging to the late Miss Nettie Moran.

Judge Thomas R. Plister has been appointed Examiner for Mason County, to hold office for four years.

Tuesday, the last day for collections, Sheriff Jefferson gathered in over \$12,000 of state and county taxes.

To Cure Constipation Forever. Take Cassara's Candy Cathartic. Be or Be Not. If C. C. fail to cure, druggists refund money.

Ex Senator Jo. C. S. Blackburn has been quite sick and confined to his bed for the past four or five days.

John S. Cox, City Assessor of Flemingburg, has resigned and Pearce Lightfoot has been appointed to fill his place.

Former Secretary of the Navy, William C. Whittey, bought several more thoroughbreds at the Lexington horse sale.

It is reported that half a million people of Cuba have died of starvation and exposure since the beginning of the war with Spain.

The Safety Building and Loan Association of Winchester has decided to continue after complying with the recent court decision.

The estate of Fishland Charlie, killed in Louisville sometime ago, goes to the Public Schools, there being no heirs. It amounts to \$1,350.

The Court of Appeals extended the time ten days for filing a petition in the case of Feitman & Co. vs. Chino, taken up from this county.

Mr. Arthur S. Haney, aged 36, and Miss Myrtle Hiley, aged 18, both of this city, were married yesterday afternoon by His Honor Judge M. C. Hutchins.

Colonel W. W. Baldwin was yesterday in Conference with the Fiscal Court at Lexington in regard to the purchase of the Maysville and Lexington Turnpike by Fayette county.

You must see Murphy's line of Cut Glass to appreciate fine cutting. His line is without doubt the finest line of Cut Glass ever shown here. Call and see it. No trouble to show goods.

Eugene Moore, former State Auditor of Nebraska, was convicted of the embezzlement of \$23,000, and given eight years in the Pen at hard labor, fined \$40,000, and is to pay the costs of prosecution.

The Commonwealth cases have all been disposed of in the Circuit Court—either by trial or continuance—and for the remaining three weeks the lawyers will be trying to settle differences between people who can't settle themselves.

The funeral of Mr. Thomas Payne Wood took place at 10:30 o'clock this morning; and the mortal remains of this manly young man are now resting in the bosom of Mother Earth. Peace to his ashes!

Mr. Dimmitt Knight of Washington and Miss Anna Belle Gies of this city went to Cincinnati yesterday, and later they were married, soon after leaving for Columbus on a short visit. The bride is one of Maysville's best and handsomest young ladies, a sister of Mrs. George H. Traxel and of the Rev. Jo. Gies.

The Ledger's "coop" of the "Council Causes" yesterday created no end of talk; and the members of the conference—each of whom was required to "help-me-jeanney-Christmas-I-won't-say-a-word-about-it,"—have been wondering where and when and how The Ledger got such straight information. Fact is, gentlemen, this is a local newspaper.

Nip Calhoun, aged 97, died at Park of old age.

Buy a Watch from McCarthy and be satisfied, both in price and quality.

A. J. Campbell, formerly of Ripley, died recently at Clinton, Mo., aged 68.

Educate Your Bowels With Cassara's Candy Cathartic, cure constipation forever. 10c. 25c. J. F. C. C. Co. Baltimore, Md.

Dr. F. J. Locke, one of Newport's oldest and best known physicians, is reported seriously ill.

Charles Kitchen is President of the Second National Bank of Ashland, in place of R. D. Davis.

Seven men are dead and seventeen more are likely to die at Maplesville, Ala., from drinking wild alcohol.

The drygoods firm of Hilton, Hughes & Co. of New York, which failed for \$2,300,000 in 1896, will pay out in full.

The sale of the Williamatic Thread Works to a foreign company has been practically settled. About \$3,500,000 will be paid.

There is talk of a caucus of Republican Congressmen at Washington to decide upon some concerted action on the currency question.

The New England Gas and Coke Co. has contracted to buy from \$80,000 to 1,500,000 tons yearly of Nova Scotia coal for twenty years.

The same old food tried the same old experiment of thawing out the same old can of nitro-glycerine with the same old result at Chester, Pa.

Governor Bradley will recommend to Superintendent Goslee the appointment of Boyd Morrow of Somerset as Receiver of the Lakeland Asylum.

The Secretary of State has mailed certificates of election to Mr. Shackelford and the new Circuit Judges and Commonwealth's Attorneys.

The city of Henderson has enjoined Sheriff Neely from collecting state and county taxes on its Gasworks, Waterworks and other public property.

The advertising columns of legitimate newspapers are now regarded by the more intelligent and thrifty portion of the people as an unerring barometer of the character, energy and success of business men, and those who fail to appreciate the now universally accepted method of reaching the people must fail behind the race for business profits.

WOMAN'S TOUCHING LOVE.

Beacon of Hope Shone Nightly in the Window For Seventy Years.

Miss Lucinda Day died Friday at Springfield, Mass., at the age of 90.

Seventy years ago Miss Day had a sailor lover, and on his departure for a voyage she promised to place every night a lighted candle in the window to greet him on his return.

He has not since been heard from.

Friday night was the first time for 70 years that a candle had not shone in the window.

Y. M. C. A. MATTERS.

What the Local Association is Doing For the City's Young Men.

Tonight at 8:15 the session of the Bible Training Class will take place in the Association Rooms. All interested men invited.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Committee will be held in the Association Parlor tomorrow afternoon at 8 o'clock. Important business. A full attendance earnestly requested.

SOCIETY

Mrs. William D. Cochran will entertain this afternoon in honor of Miss Sarah Grundy of Lebanon, the very handsome daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. January Grundy.

Mrs. William F. Hall will have a reception this afternoon to her friends. The spacious and well-appointed Hall home will be festive in flowers and rich in cordial greeting to those who are bidden.

Wedding Presents.

We are now on the threshold of the great wedding season. It is now that almost daily our attention is called by a dainty invitation to the fact that some of our friends are to be married. Each invitation means a present. Have you put your thoughts on the subject? If not, follow us a few minutes. There are in our store hundreds of articles absolutely correct for wedding presents and with prices ranging from one dollar or so up to hundreds of dollars. As thought directs us let us suggest

Watches, Silverware, Clocks, Cut Glass, Onyx Tables, Lamps, Bricabrac, Carving Sets, Pearl Handle Knives, Silver Toilet Sets, Bronzes, Spoons, Forks, Berry Dishes, Game Sets, &c.

From the great assembly here of handsome articles, suitable for wedding presents, you'll be able to select just the article you have in mind.

BALLENGER, Jeweler.

The Ripley K. of P. Lodge remembered the families of their deceased members by sending them a cash donation, Thanksgiving, instead of the customary turkey.

The badly disabled condition of the other College football team has compelled Manager Acheson to declare off the game with the University of Virginia which was to have been played in Louisville Saturday.

FLOTSAM—JETSAM—LIGAN!
NEWS NOTES FROM NATURE'S GREAT HIGHWAY.

The Bonanza passed up last night for Pomeroy.

The Henry M. Stanley is the Pomeroy bonanza.

Tyberoons are making things lively on the river just now.

The W. F. Nisbet will pass down tonight from Pomeroy.

The Queen City will pass down tomorrow night from Pittsburgh.

The Keystone State with a fine trip passed down last night from Pittsburgh and will return for the same point tonight.

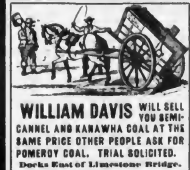
The crest of the present rise is between Catlettsburg and Cincinnati this morning, and the river will rise rapidly at this point today, the gauge at 7 a. m. showing 14.2. There is no material change in the Kansas and Big Sandy. The stage of water at 12 m. yesterday was as follows:

Oil City 5.1, falling.
Pittsburgh 6.6, falling.
Davis Island 5.2, falling.
Wheeling 11.3, rising.
Charleston 5.7, falling.
Great Kanawha 3.7, falling.
Parkersburg 13.1, falling.
Point Pleasant 13.5, rising.
Catlettsburg 13.9, rising.
Portsmouth 13, rising.

While the latter sentence is a trifle muddy, if not wholly incomprehensible, there doesn't appear to be any disposition to deprive Mr. Davis of the honor so worthily won.

Even were there a dozen additional examinations within the next dozen months, the name of Mr. Davis would remain "at the head of the list," and true Civil Service reform requires the choosing of the first on the list for any vacancy that may occur.

Gentlemen of the Faculty, please keep your shirts on and watch the indicator!



MISSSES' and CHILDREN'S

Chocolate

HIGH SHOES.

J. HENRY PECOR.

Friday's Cash Sale

You can thank last Friday's rain for a second chance at the bargains offered them. In addition we have secured another lot of popular muslin to sell at 1c. a copy. Vocal and instrumental selections, all clearly printed on good paper—no cheap prints from worn-out type.

NAPKINS.

Good worthy weavings of purest flax. No guess work. To own linens from this store is to know that nobody owns better. That means we sell the best all-line linens made. A sweeping statement but we have the goods to substantiate it. Our buyer gathered a napkin bargain this month. Linens were everywhere here an interest in it. The price for the quality is the lowest we know. For \$1 25 a dozen substantial Scotch Damask Napkins, full selvage, grass bleached in a large line of patterns, 24 inches square. For 95c, a dozen fine snow-white Damask Napkins from Scotland, plump 22 inches square. Plenty of pretty patterns. \$1.50 would be a fair price.

TOWELS.

Whatever else the Tariff did—and it's blamed as well as praised—it has raised the price of linens in this country—raised them already in other stores and must raise them proportionately here—after a little. Get-ahead folks won't care, however, for they'll have this year's towel supply from the lot we offer today. For 12c, a Scotch Bleached Huck Towel, Barnsley weight. Will stand lots of wash.

Homestead 22x40. Affords ample drying surface. They have found willing takers at 20c. Every housekeeper is interested in this offering.

D. HUNT & SON.

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WE'RE FOR AMERICANS!

"The best way to get rid of a bad law is to enact it."—General Grant.

"SENATOR HANNA has the grip," is the message that comes over the wires. He's had it for some time—the grip on the next Senatorship from Ohio.

Only twelve men and one woman were present at the annual meeting of the now famous Cobden Club in London. This is an indication that Free-trade has had its day, even in Free-trade England.

The year that Governor BURNETT would accept, and was even expected to accept, the Senatorship for himself, by means of a combination line party Democratic and one part anti-HANNA Republican, seems to have been abandoned. That was found to be too rank for the credulity of even the present excited burkeana.—Washington Star.

At the late election the Populists lacked 244 votes of casting 2 per cent. of all the votes cast, and will have to get on the ballot next time by petition. Wonder if "Pop" J. A. PARKER will ever trouble to the fact that his party is too dead to bury?

It is said a New Yorker has introduced a bill to stop. Here's hoping the Congresswoman will soon come. Richmond Post-Dispatch.

Bless your soul, Brother, they're here already—at least there are mighty few of 'em;—but the "schreecher" is abroad in the land.

THE LEDGER notes with pleasure the improvements to the Flemingsburg Gazette. It has a handsome new dress, and is "chock full" of the freshest local news. There, with its soundness on the questions of the day, should make it a welcome and indispensable visitor to every household in Fleming county.

AFTER all the Democratic howling about the mismanagement of Penitentiary affairs, State Inspector LESTER's report on the chair contract will show that the state has not lost money by the contract, but has actually made a profit equal from seventeen to twenty cents per day for the labor of each convict employed.

KANNA was carried by the Republicans at the recent election. The latest returns, with only a few missing precincts, give the Republicans 138,470 and Fusionists 129,351, a Republican majority of 9,119, an against a fusion majority for President last year of 13,166. The Republican net gain is 22,385. This says The Atlanta Journal, would be one of the most surprising results of the election if the news was told of any other state save Kansas.

CHAIRMAN DINGLEY has a pleasant surprise in store for Congress when it comes together in December. The workings of his new law are proving extremely satisfactory, and he will be able to point out the fact that it is already earning much more than did the Wilson Law in the corresponding period of its existence and that there is good reason to believe that the revenue under it will be ample and that the reciprocity features of the bill are likely to result very advantageously to American citizens and those seeking markets abroad for their productions.

No-To-Ban for Fifty Cents
Quintessence of health care, makes weak men strong, blood pure. 50c. All drug stores.

HOW TO FIND OUT.

Fill a bottle of common glass with urine and let it stand twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling indicates an unhealthy condition of the kidneys. When urine stands like this it is evidence of kidney trouble. Too frequent urination, or urinating in the back, is also convincing proof that the kidneys and bladder are out of order.

WHAT TO DO.

There is comfort in the knowledge so often expressed, that Dr. Kilmer's Swamp Root, the great kidney remedy, cures all every kind in relieving pain in the back, kidneys, liver, bladder and every part of the urinary passages. It corrects inability to hold urine and scalding pain in passing it, or bad effects following use of liquor, wine or beer, and overcomes that unpleasant necessity of being compelled to get up many times during the night to urinate. The mild and the extraordinary effect of Swamp Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for the inflexible cure of the most distressing cases. If you need a medicine you should have the best. Sold by druggists, price fifty cents and one dollar. You may have a sample bottle sent by mail. Mention THE LEDGER and send your address to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. The proprietors of this paper guarantee the genuineness of this offer.

The Cabinet at Washington discussed the subject of sending relief to the people in the floodline.

Everybody Says So.

Cascadia Cough Cures the most wonderful medical discovery of the age, pleasant and refreshing to the taste, acts gently and positively on kidneys, liver and bowels, cleanses the entire system, dispels colds, cures bronchitis, fever, indigestion, constipation and biliousness. Please buy and try a box of C. C. C. today. It will cure you and guarantee to cure by all druggists.

FULLY EXPLAINED.

How the Governor's Daughter Was Chosen to Christen the Kentucky.

There has been a good deal of unwarranted talk to the effect that Miss Harriett Richardson of Lexington had been "appointed" to christen the battle-ship Kentucky before the Governor was asked to designate his daughter, and before these requests became so general that the Governor consented to name Miss Bradley.

It seems that Miss Richardson, while in Washington some time ago, was told by the outgoing Democratic Secretary of the Navy that he would like for her to christen the Kentucky. She readily accepted what she thought was a proffered honor, and came home with the idea that the matter was settled. She told some of her friends what the then Secretary had said, and went to work making preparations for the event. She did not know that it was the custom for the Secretary in power at the time of the launching to ask the Governor of the state honored with the name to designate some one to christen the ship. The new Secretary followed the usual custom.

Then requests from the Louisville Board of Trade, Lexington Chamber of Commerce, other official bodies and a number of private citizens poured into the Governor asking him to name his daughter, which he has agreed to do.

The name of Miss Richardson was never even suggested to the Governor, and he did not know that she contemplated receiving the honor. Even the papers of Lexington, where Miss Richardson lives, warmly indorsed the selection of Miss Bradley, and probably knew nothing about Miss Richardson's ambition or the suggestion made to her by the retired Secretary of the Navy.

\$100 Reward—\$100.

The reader of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one undreaded disease that has been able to cut its way out of all stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical profession. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for testimonials. Address, F. J. CERRY & Co., Toledo, O.

Sold by druggists. Beware of cheap imitations.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Do You Love Music?

It so, secure one of the latest and prettiest Two-Step of the day, by mailing ten cents and your name, to the undersigned for a copy of the Big Four Two-Step. (Mark envelope "Two-Step.") We are giving away music, which is regular in price, at this exceedingly low rate, for the purpose of advertising, and testing the value of the different papers. Please send your name, address, and the name of the paper you are reading, to the undersigned. Address, F. J. CERRY & Co., Toledo, O.

MADE ME A MAN

AKAK TABLETS POSITIVELY CURE ALL Kidney Troubles—Painful Urine—Stiffness of Back—Headache—Weakness—Loss of Power—Impotence—Prostate Gland—Gonorrhea—Syphilis—Eczema—Itching—Scalding—Bleeding—Discharge—All these troubles are cured by AKAK TABLETS. It is a safe, reliable, and powerful remedy. It is sold by all druggists. Price 50c. per box. Send for free trial. Address, F. J. CERRY & Co., Toledo, O.

KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

KENTUCKY DISTILLERS.

Agree to a Plan to Keep Down the Output 10,000,000 to 10,000,000 Gallons.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Dec. 1.—At a meeting of the Kentucky Distillers Association, called to consider the question of restricting production for a term of three years, the following plan was adopted by which to keep down the output 15,000,000 to 10,000,000 gallons yearly. In some years this production has been over 40,000,000 gallons.

Those present signed an agreement to accept a fair allotment on the basis of their capacity and conditions were appointed to apportion out the amount for each distiller. It was decided that this must be done if the trade was to be preserved from a panic. They also agreed to work for a lower tax. The meeting was largely attended.

Sale of Thoroughbreds at Lexington. LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—At Wednesday's sales of thoroughbreds, Bramble, the famous sire of Clifford, has been sold to Clay & Woodford, Park, Ky., for \$10,000. The sale was held at the residence of Mr. J. H. W. Dunne, of Chicago, bought a weanling by Bramble, dam Lady Waverly, for \$10,000. The sale was held at the residence of Mr. J. H. W. Dunne, of Chicago, bought a weanling by Bramble, dam Lady Waverly, for \$10,000.

A Session Among Tourmen. LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—A dispatch from London stating that Tod Sloan has been engaged to ride the horses belonging to the Prince of Wales, created a sensation among the many turfmen attending the sales here Wednesday. Tom Walsh, the trainer of Col. Charles Fielemann, says that Sloan is under contract with the colonel to ride for him next year at a salary of \$10,000; that the contract was properly drawn up and signed by the colonel and Sloan a short time previous to Sloan's sailing for England.

Certificate of Election Made. LEXINGTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—The secretary of state has mailed to the new appellate clerk and the recently elected circuit judges and commonwealth's attorneys their certificates of election. Their commissions will be sent as soon as they can be made out, signed by the governor and attested by the secretary of state.

Justice On Bench. CARROLLTON, Ky., Dec. 2.—Judge Eschscholtz, the oldest lawyer in Carroll county, died at his residence at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 55 years. He was a member of the late constitutional convention. He retired from the bench in 1892, after having served as judge of the county for ten years.

Free Filled With Shot. RICHMOND, Ky., Dec. 2.—Because he was singing a song John did like John Smith blazed away with a shotgun and killed Ed Hunter's dog, a bird shot, making an ugly wound. Both are colored and live near Stanford.

Superintendent Willmore Resigns. NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., Dec. 2.—W. J. Willmore, superintendent of the state road, which runs through this district, has resigned his position. He was succeeded by Mr. J. H. W. Dunne, of Chicago.

Another Cigarette Victim. RICHMOND, Ky., Dec. 2.—William Moore, aged 21, son of John Moore, died here yesterday morning of the excessive use of cigarettes. It is said he regularly consumed a half dozen boxes of the poisonous little luxuries a day.

Assistant Secretary of State.

WILLIAMSBURG, Ky., Dec. 2.—E. E. Bell, principal of the Baptist Institute of this place, died yesterday of his appointment as assistant secretary of state of Kentucky by letter from Secretary Finley, who is now in law.

Owensboro Cooper Missing.

OWENSBORO, Ky., Dec. 2.—J. V. F. Harnett, a well-known cooper of Owensboro, disappeared from home three days ago and nothing has been heard from him since. He has a wife and several children in this city.

With Appoint His Nephew.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 2.—Gov. Bradley said Wednesday that he would appoint his nephew, Wood Morrow, to succeed him as judge of the court of the Lelanday asylum.

Acquittal of the Charge.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 2.—Lindsay Stull, the young tollgate keeper who shot and killed Joseph O. Embury, a prominent farmer last Friday night, was acquitted of the charge of murder by the jury at St. Louis.

Fire Started by Tramp.

PADUCAH, Ky., Dec. 2.—The Illinois Central water tank at Little Cypress, 15 miles above here, was burned; loss about \$100. The fire is supposed to have been started by a tramp.

John Moore Not Guilty.

NEWPORT, Ky., Dec. 2.—The jury in the trial of John Moore, one of the 11 men indicted for the shooting of Mr. O'Connell, returned a verdict of not guilty Wednesday afternoon.

Suit for Back Taxes. FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 2.—Attorney General Taylor threatens to bring suit for several thousand dollars back franchise law from the Frankfort Livery Co.

MAKING ARMOR.

The Naval Board Reports on the Cost of a Plant.

About Three and Three-Quarter Million Dollars Will Be Required.

Secretary Long Will Have Proposals by Advertisement for Building such a Plant at the Mouth of the Potomac River, to Be Tried by Court-martial.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The naval board appointed by authority of congress to ascertain the cost of an armor plant made its report through the Secretary of the Navy. The report makes a voluminous document, treating every detail of the process of armor making essential to a correct apprehension of the cost of the plant and of the product. It is also accompanied by a plan of a plant suitable for the making of naval armor at the rate of about 6,000 tons per annum, complete in all its details, and a recommendation is made as to the location of the plant, but the board has accumulated much information as to the merits of various eligible locations which may be had by congress if called for by it.

The board will now proceed immediately to take the next step necessary to carry out the wish of congress, namely, invite proposals by advertisement for building such a plant as designed for the use of the government. It was at first the intention of the secretary to withhold the report from congress until it should be able to include information in it, but he has now determined to send the report to congress as it is, with the plan of a plant, and to let the government decide whether it will accept the plan or not.

The board also has a recommendation to make as to the location of the plant, but the board has accumulated much information as to the merits of various eligible locations which may be had by congress if called for by it.

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